

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

5      **In re Application of:** Stefek, et al                      **Docket No.:** BARR0005  
         **Serial No. :** 09/895,605                                      **Art Unit:**     2121  
10     **Filed:** 29 June 2001                                      **Examiner:**   Holmes, Michael B.  
         **Title:** METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR AN INTEGRATIVE MODEL OF MULTIPLE  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

25     Sir:

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1445. Amendment to the Specification is attached hereto. Amendment to the Claims is attached hereto.

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